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<u>PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME</u>

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 21, 2000 by two months. With the extension the response is due on or before December 21, 2000. A check in the amount of \$445.00 to cover the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(a)(3) for a small entity is transmitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the enclosed amount or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0586.

Respectfully submitted.

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